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## REMARKS

Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the courtesies extended in the interview conducted November 24, 2009. Pursuant to the Examiner's suggestions during the interview, and as indicated on the Interview Summary Form, Applicant has further amended claim 1 to indicate that, according to the method for structuring surface of a substrate of claim 1, at least one solution is applied to the surface area to form a plurality of fields arranged in a matrix pattern. The plurality of fields are separated from one another by spaces, and the spaces are free of said at least one solution.

The Examiner indicated his belief that this amendment would make claim 1 and its dependent claims 3-8 allowable. The Examiner had previously indicated that remaining claims 2 and 9-18 are already allowed. Applicant notes that claim 5 was previously cancelled.

Entry of the foregoing amendments to claim 1 and allowance of all claims 1-4 and 6-18 in the instant application are requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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